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In re Application of: Schomer)
Application No. 09/625,277)
Filed: July 25, 2000)
For: PREVIEW WINDOW TO PREVIEW)
TEXT IN SEVERAL DIFFERENT FONTS)
SIMULTANEOUSLY)
DECISION ON PETITION UNDER 37
CFR 1.181 TO WITHDRAW HOLDING
OF ABANDONMENT

This is a decision on the request, filed September 13, 2004, to withdraw the holding of abandonment, mailed August 12, 2004. The request is treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.181.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

Applicable Prosecution History

December 19, 2003 Non-final rejection mailed (Paper No. 5).
March 19, 2004 Amendment (unsigned)
June 16, 2004 Interview with Examiner.
June 21, 2004 Resubmission of amendment (signed).
August 12, 2004 Notice of Abandonment.
September 13, 2004 Request to withdraw holding of abandonment of August 12, 2004, which includes a copy of the resubmission (filed June 21, 2004) of the signed original amendment (filed March 19, 2004) and a copy of the USPTO return postcard (with the postmark illegible).

The instant application became abandoned for failure to timely respond to the non-final rejection of December 19, 2003. The amendment of March 19, 2004 was unsigned and therefore not entered. Applicants resubmitted the amendment with the proper signature (June 21, 2004) after they were notified of the deficiency in the amendment during an interview with the Examiner,

held on June 16, 2004. The notice of abandonment was in error because the resubmitted amendment was in fact received and entered by the office on June 21, 2004.

In view of these facts, the abandonment of the application was clearly in error and is hereby **WITHDRAWN**. The office apologizes for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Accordingly, the petition is **GRANTED**.

The application is being forwarded to the Supervisory Legal Instruments Examiner with instructions to withdraw the holding of abandonment (restore the instant application to pending status) and to charge deposit account No. 19-0733 for the three-month (noting that 6/19/2004 falls on a Saturday) extension of time fee (\$950). The application will then be forwarded to the Examiner for consideration of the June 21, 2004 amendment.



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